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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Stephen P.A. Fodor, J. Leighton Read, Lubert Stryer and Michael C. Pirrung

Serial No.:	09/653,761	Group Art Unit:	1643
Filed:	September 1, 2000	Examiner:	P. Ponnaluri
For:	Polypeptide Arrays (As Amended)		

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Fourth Preliminary Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

[ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

[ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(COL. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(COL. 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(COL. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	ADDIT. FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	41	MINUS	* 41		X $9	$		X $18	$
INDEP	5	MINUS	** 5		X $42	$		X $84	$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ $140	$		+ $280	$

* not fewer than 20
** not fewer than 3

TOTAL = $ 0

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Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for the following fees:

[ ]	Petition for [	] month Extension of Time	$ _____
[ ]	Amendment Fee		$ _____
[ ]	Other Fees:		

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TOTAL: $ _____0_____

A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees:

[ ]	Petition for [	] month Extension of Time	$ _____
[ ]	Amendment Fee		$ _____
[ ]	Other Fees:		

$ _____

$ _____

TOTAL: $ _____0_____

[X]   A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380
       for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of
       this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMILTON, BROOK, SMITH & REYNOLDS, P.C.

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